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## PLANT-QUARANTINE IMPORT RESTRICTIONS REPUBLIC OF URUGUAY

## STANDARDS ESTABLISHED FOR CERTAIN SEEDS

Although not a plant quarantine order, the following information may be of interest to exporters of the seeds concerned to Uruguay. It is quoted from the Foreign Commerce Weekly for December 13, 1941.

VEGETABLE SEEDS: PURITY AND GERMINATION IMPORT STANDARDS ESTABLISHED

"Standards for purity and germination for certain vegetable seeds imported into Uruguay have been established by a decree of October 29, 1941, published in the Diario Oficial, November 14, 1941, Montevideo. The following are the required percentages of purity and germination, respectively: Chicory, endive, and carrots, 90 percent purity and 55 percent germination; onions, leeks, aniseed, celery, asparagus, neppers, watermelon, squash, artichoke, fennel, parsley, salsify, and spinach, 95 percent purity and 55 percent germination; beets, melon, cucumber, lettuce, cress, radishes, tomatoes, and eggplant, 95 percent purity and 70 percent germination; and cabbage, chickpeas, cauliflower, turnip, lentils, beans, peas, broad beans, and sweet corn, 95 percent purity and 80 percent germination."

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